# Potassium tetrachloroplatinate (II)

# sc-264138

**Material Safety Data Sheet** 



Hazard Alert Code Key: EXTREME HIGH MODERATE LOW

# Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### **PRODUCT NAME**

Potassium tetrachloroplatinate (II)

# STATEMENT OF HAZARDOUS NATURE

CONSIDERED A HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE ACCORDING TO OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.

# **NFPA**



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### **EMERGENCY**:

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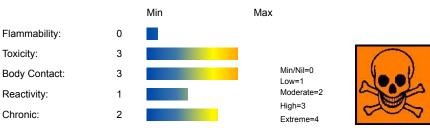
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### **SYNONYMS**

CI4-K2-Pt, "platinite(2-), tetrachloro-, dipotassium", "platinous potassium chloride", "potassium chloroplatinite", "potassium platinous potassium platinum (II) tetrachloride", "potassium tetrachloplatinate (II)"

# **Section 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# **CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS**



# **CANADIAN WHMIS SYMBOLS**



# **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

#### RISK

Toxic if swallowed.

Irritating to skin.

Risk of serious damage to eyes.

May cause SENSITISATION by inhalation and skin contact.

Harmful to aquatic organisms.

#### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

### **ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS**

### **SWALLOWED**

- Toxic effects may result from the accidental ingestion of the material; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 40 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.
- Acute potassium poisoning after swallowing is rare, because vomiting usually occurs and renal excretion is fast. Potassium causes a slow, weak pulse, irregularities in heart rhythm, heart block and an eventual fall in blood pressure. <\p>.

### **EYE**

■ If applied to the eyes, this material causes severe eye damage.

#### SKIN

- Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material.
- Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.
- Solution of material in moisture on the skin, or perspiration, may markedly increase skin corrosion and accelerate tissue destruction.
- Platinum and its compounds produces marked irritation to the skin, eyes and respiratory system. Contact allergic dermatitis may also result.
- This material can cause inflammation of the skin oncontact in some persons.

#### **INHALED**

- Inhalation of dusts, generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.
- There is some evidence to suggest that the material can cause respiratory irritation in some persons. The body's response to such irritation can cause further lung damage.
- Persons with impaired respiratory function, airway diseases and conditions such as emphysema or chronic bronchitis, may incur further disability if excessive concentrations of particulate are inhaled.

### **CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS**

■ Inhaling this product is more likely to cause a sensitization reaction in some persons compared to the general population.

Skin contact with the material is more likely to cause a sensitization reaction in some persons compared to the general population.

Limited evidence suggests that repeated or long-term occupational exposure may produce cumulative health effects involving organs or biochemical systems.

Long term exposure to high dust concentrations may cause changes in lung function i.e. pneumoconiosis; caused by particles less than 0.5 micron penetrating and remaining in the lung.

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Platinum salt complexes can cause immediate hypersensitivity reactions either by contact or inhalation known as "platinosis". Symptoms include asthma, runny nose, inflammation of skin, eczema and hives, cough, inflammation of the nose and throat, difficulty breathing, itching, and dilation of the blood vessels of the conjunctiva.

# Section 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

NAME	CAS RN	%
potassium tetrachloroplatinate(II)	10025-99-7	>98

### Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

# **SWALLOWED**

· IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY. · Where Medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed otherwise:

### **EYE**

■ If this product comes in contact with the eyes: · Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with running water. · Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.

#### SKIN

■ If skin contact occurs: · Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear · Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).

#### **INHALED**

If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area. Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.

#### **NOTES TO PHYSICIAN**

■ for poisons (where specific treatment regime is absent):

-----BASIC TREATMENT

· Establish a patent airway with suction where necessary.

· Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilation as necessary.

Section 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES			
Vapour Pressure (mmHG):	Not applicable		
Upper Explosive Limit (%):	Not applicable		
Specific Gravity (water=1):	Not available		
Lower Explosive Limit (%):	Not applicable		

### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

- · Water spray or fog.
- · Foam.

#### **FIRE FIGHTING**

- · Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- · Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.

When any large container (including road and rail tankers) is involved in a fire, consider evacuation by 800 metres in all directions.

#### GENERAL FIRE HAZARDS/HAZARDOUS COMBUSTIBLE PRODUCTS

- · Non combustible.
- · Not considered to be a significant fire risk, however containers may burn.

Decomposition may produce toxic fumes of: hydrogen chloride, metal oxides.

May emit poisonous fumes.

- · Non combustible.
- $\cdot$  Not considered to be a significant fire risk.
- · Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.
- · May emit corrosive, poisonous fumes.

# FIRE INCOMPATIBILITY

■ None known.

### **PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Glasses:

Chemical goggles.

Gloves:

Respirator:

Particulate

# **Section 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# MINOR SPILLS

- · Remove all ignition sources.
- · Clean up all spills immediately.
- · Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
- Control personal contact by using protective equipment.
- · Use dry clean up procedures and avoid generating dust.
- · Place in a suitable, labelled container for waste disposal.

# MAJOR SPILLS

- · Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- · Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.

# **Section 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

# PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING

- · Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- · Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.

# RECOMMENDED STORAGE METHODS

· Lined metal can, Lined metal pail/drum

· Plastic pail.

For low viscosity materials

- Drums and jerricans must be of the non-removable head type.
- · Where a can is to be used as an inner package, the can must have a screwed enclosure.

All inner and sole packagings for substances that have been assigned to Packaging Groups I or II on the basis of inhalation toxicity criteria, must be hermetically sealed.

### STORAGE REQUIREMENTS

- · Store in original containers.
- · Keep containers securely sealed.

# Section 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### **EXPOSURE CONTROLS**

Source	Material	TWA mg/m³
US - Hawaii Air Contaminant Limits	potassium tetrachloroplatinate(II) (Platinum (as Pt) - Metal)	1
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### PERSONAL PROTECTION









#### **RESPIRATOR**

Particulate

Consult your EHS staff for recommendations

#### EYE

- · Safety glasses with side shields.
- · Chemical goggles.

# HANDS/FEET

■ Wear chemical protective gloves, eg. PVC.

NOTE: The material may produce skin sensitization in predisposed individuals. Care must be taken, when removing gloves and other protective equipment, to avoid all possible skin contact.

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include: such as:

- $\cdot$  frequency and duration of contact,
- · chemical resistance of glove material,
- $\cdot$  glove thickness and
- · dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739).

- · When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.
- · When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.
- $\cdot \ \text{Contaminated gloves should be replaced}.$

Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

### **OTHER**

- · Overalls.
- · Eyewash unit.

### **ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

■ Local exhaust ventilation usually required. If risk of overexposure exists, wear an approved respirator. <\p>.

# **Section 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

### **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Solid.

State	Divided solid	Molecular Weight	415.26
Melting Range (°F)	Not available	Viscosity	Not Applicable
Boiling Range (°F)	Not available.	Solubility in water (g/L)	Reacts

Flash Point (°F)	Not applicable	pH (1% solution)	Not available.
Decomposition Temp (°F)	Not available	pH (as supplied)	Not applicable
Autoignition Temp (°F)	Not applicable	Vapour Pressure (mmHG)	Not applicable
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not applicable	Specific Gravity (water=1)	Not available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not applicable	Relative Vapor Density (air=1)	Not applicable
Volatile Component (%vol)	Not applicable	Evaporation Rate	Not applicable

## **APPEARANCE**

Ruby red crystals; mix with water.

# Section 10 - CHEMICAL STABILITY

#### CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY

- · Presence of incompatible materials.
- · Product is considered stable.

#### STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY

- · WARNING: Avoid or control reaction with peroxides. All transition metal peroxides should be considered as potentially explosive. For example transition metal complexes of alkyl hydroperoxides may decompose explosively.
- · The pi-complexes formed between chromium(0), vanadium(0) and other transition metals (haloarene-metal complexes) and mono-or poly-fluorobenzene show extreme sensitivity to heat and are explosive.
- · Avoid reaction with borohydrides or cyanoborohydrides.

Segregate from alcohol, water.

- · Several platinum compounds, including trimethylplatinum derivatives are explosively unstable.
- Some compounds of the other platinum group metals are also of limited stability.
- · Metals and their oxides or salts may react violently with chlorine trifluoride and bromine trifluoride.
- These trifluorides are hypergolic oxidisers. They ignites on contact (without external source of heat or ignition) with recognised fuels contact with these materials, following an ambient or slightly elevated temperature, is often violent and may produce ignition.
- · The state of subdivision may affect the results.

For incompatible materials - refer to Section 7 - Handling and Storage.

# **Section 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

POTASSIUM TETRACHLOROPLATINATE(II)

# **TOXICITY AND IRRITATION**

POTASSIUM TETRACHLOROPLATINATE(II):

■ unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances.

TOXICITY IRRITATION
Oral (child) LDLo: 400 mg/kg Nil Reported

Intraperitoneal (mouse) LD50: 45 mg/kg

Oral (Human) LD: 400 mg/kg Oral (Human) TDLo: 8.571 mg/kg

Dermal (Human) TDLo: 40 mg/kg

■ Contact allergies quickly manifest themselves as contact eczema, more rarely as urticaria or Quincke's edema. The pathogenesis of contact eczema involves a cell-mediated (T lymphocytes) immune reaction of the delayed type.

Allergic reactions involving the respiratory tract are usually due to interactions between IgE antibodies and allergens and occur rapidly. Allergic potential of the allergen and period of exposure often determine the severity of symptoms.

Attention should be paid to atopic diathesis, characterized by increased susceptibility to nasal inflammation, asthma and eczema.

Exogenous allergic alveolitis is induced essentially by allergen specific immune-complexes of the IgG type; cell-mediated reactions (T lymphocytes) may be involved. Such allergy is of the delayed type with onset up to four hours following exposure.

Cardiac changes, gastritis, depressed renal function tests, eosinophilia,

primary irritation, skin and appendage corosion and anti-tumour activity

recorded.

# **Section 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Harmful to aquatic organisms.

This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

# **Ecotoxicity**

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air	Bioaccumulation	Mobility

potassium tetrachloroplatinate(II)	HIGH	LOW	HIGH

# **Section 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Disposal Instructions**

All waste must be handled in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

| Puncture containers to prevent re-use and bury at an authorized landfill.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- Reduction
- · Reuse
- · Recycling
- · Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning equipment to enter drains. Collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.

- · Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- · Consult Waste Management Authority for disposal.

### Section 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

DOT:

Symbols: None Hazard class or Division: 6.1 Identification Numbers: UN3288 PG: III Label Codes: 6.1 Special provisions: IB8, IP3,

T1, TP33

Packaging: Exceptions: 153 Packaging: Non-bulk: 213 Packaging: Exceptions: 153 Quantity limitations: 100 kg

Passenger aircraft/rail:

Quantity Limitations: Cargo 200 kg Vessel stowage: Location: A

aircraft only:

Vessel stowage: Other: None

Hazardous materials descriptions and proper shipping names:

Toxic solid, inorganic, n.o.s.

### **Air Transport IATA:**

ICAO/IATA Class: 6.1 ICAO/IATA Subrisk: None UN/ID Number: 3288 Packing Group: III

Special provisions: A3

Cargo Only

Packing Instructions: 619 Maximum Qty/Pack: 200 kg Passenger and Cargo Passenger and Cargo

Packing Instructions: 619 Maximum Qty/Pack: 100 kg

Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity

Packing Instructions: Y619 Maximum Qty/Pack: 10 kg

Shipping Name: TOXIC SOLID, INORGANIC, N.O.S. \*(CONTAINS

POTASSIUM TETRACHLOROPLATINATE(II))

# **Maritime Transport IMDG:**

IMDG Class: 6.1 IMDG Subrisk: None UN Number: 3288 Packing Group: III

EMS Number: F-A, S-A Special provisions: 223 274

Limited Quantities: 5 kg

Shipping Name: TOXIC SOLID, INORGANIC, N.O.S.(contains potassium tetrachloroplatinate(II))

# **Section 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# potassium tetrachloroplatinate(II) (CAS: 10025-99-7) is found on the following regulatory lists;

"Canada Domestic Substances List (DSL)", "Canada Ingredient Disclosure List (SOR/88-64)", "US - New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substances", "US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) - Inventory"

# **Section 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

# LIMITED EVIDENCE

- Inhalation may produce health damage\*.
- Cumulative effects may result following exposure\*.
- May produce discomfort of the respiratory system\*.

\* (limited evidence).

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